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## **AMENDMENTS**

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## IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (currently amended) A composition comprising One or more corticosteroids, wherein one corticosteroid comprises fluocinonide; Two or more penetration enhancers selected from the group consisting of diisopropyl adipate, dimethyl isosorbide, propylene glycol, 1,2,6-hexanetriol, and benzyl alcohol; and

one or more of the group consisting of solvents and emulsifiers, wherein the penetration enhancers are present in a ratio to a total of the penetration enhancers, and solvents and emulsifiers of at least about 0.90.

- (original) The composition of claim 1 wherein the corticosteroid comprises a 2. fluorinated corticosteroid.
  - 3. (canceled)
  - 4. (canceled)
- 5. (currently amended) The composition of claim 1, or 2, 3 or 4 wherein the corticosteroid is present at about 0.10%.
- 6. (currently amended) The composition of claim 1, or 2, 3 or 4 wherein the corticosteroid is present at at-least about 0.50%.
- 7. (currently amended) The composition of claim 1, or 2, 3 or 4 wherein the corticosteroid is present at at-least about 0.25%.
  - 8. (canceled)
- 9. (currently amended) The composition of claim 1, or 2, 3 or 4 wherein the penetration enhancers comprise two or more of the group consisting of propylene glycol, diisopropyl adipate and dimethyl isosorbide.

- 10. (currently amended) The composition of claim 1, or 2, 3, or 4 wherein one penetration enhancer comprises propylene glycol.
  - 11. (cancelled)
  - 12. (cancelled)
  - 13. (original) The composition of claim 1 wherein the ratio is at least about 0.95.
- 14. (original) The composition of claim 1 wherein the solvents and emulsifiers comprise one or more of the group consisting of dehydrated alcohol, alcohol (95% v/v)USP, 3-Cyclohexene-1-Methanol, ∞4-Dimethyl-a-(4-Methyl-3-Pentenyl)-, Steareth-2, Steareth-21, citric acid, CPE-215, diisopropanolamine (1:9), DIPA/PG (1:9), ethoxydiglycol, Potassium hydroxide (10%), PEG-40 Stearate, PEG-7000, Polysorbate 60, potassium hydroxide (1%), propylene carbonate USP, propylethylene glycol 4, oleyl alcohol, sodium lauryl sulfate, sorbitan monostearate, sorbitan stearate, and 1,2,3-Propanetriyl Ester.
- 15. (original) The composition of claim 1 further comprising one or more non-solvent/emulsifier ingredients.
- 16. (previously amended) The composition of claim 15 wherein the non-solvent/emulsifier ingredients comprise one or more of the group consisting of Glyceryl Stearate (and) PEG-100 Stearate, carbopol 980, cyclomethicone NF, glyceryl monostearate, hydroxyethyl cellulose, hydroxypropyl cellulose, isopropyl myristate, methyl paraben NF, mineral oil, oleic acid NF, PEG-100 Stearate, petrolatum, propyl paraben NF, purified water, stearyl alcohol, white petrolatum, and white wax.
- 17. (currently amended) The composition of claim 1 wherein the solvents and emulsifiers are present at about 4-about 5%.

- 18. (original) The composition of claim 15 wherein the non-solvent/emulsifier ingredients are present at about 11% to about 53%.
- 19. (original) The composition of claim 15 wherein the non-solvent/emulsifier ingredients are present at about 11% to about 27%.
- 20. (original) A composition comprising about 0.10% fluorinonide, about 74.9% propylene glycol, about 3.0% diisopropyl adipate, about 5.0% isopropyl myristate, about 2.5% 1,2,6 trihydroxyhexane, about 1.0% carbopol 980, about 1.0% diisopropanolamine 85%: propylene glycol (1:9), about 0.01% citric acid, about 2.49% purified water, about 2.5% glyceryl monostearate, and about 7.5% glyceryl monostearate & PEG stearate.
- 21. (original) A composition comprising about 0.10% fluorinonide, about 70.0% propylene glycol, about 15.0% dimethyl isosorbide, about 1.2% carbopol 980, about 1.2% diisopropanolamine 85%: propylene glycol (1:9), about 0.01% citric acid, about 2.49% purified water, about 2.5% glyceryl monostearate, and about 7.5% glyceryl monostearate & PEG stearate.
- 22. (original) A composition comprising about 0.10% fluorinonide, about 66.8% propylene glycol, about 5.0% dimethyl isosorbide, about 5.0% isopropyl myristate, about 0.5% carbopol 980, about 0.5% diisopropanolamine 85%: propylene glycol (1:9), about 5.0% white petrolatum USP, about 6.0% glyceryl monostearate, about 6.0% PEG 100 stearate, about 5.0% stearyl alcohol, and about 0.10% sodium lauryl sulfate.
- 23. (original) A composition comprising about 0.10% fluorimonide, about 69.9% propylene glycol, about 2.0% diisopropyl adipate, about 5.0% isopropyl myristate, about 0.5% carbopol 980, about 0.5% diisopropanolamine 85%: propylene glycol (1:9), about 5.0% white petrolatum USP, about 6.0% glyceryl monostearate, about 6.0% PEG 100 stearate, and about 5.0% stearyl alcohol.

24-60. (canceled)

(new) A composition comprising
One or more corticosteroids;

Two or more penetration enhancers selected from the group consisting of diisopropyl adipate, dimethyl isosorbide, propylene glycol, 1,2,6-hexanetriol, and benzyl alcohol; and

One or more of the group consisting of solvents and emulsifiers, wherein the penetration enhancers are present in a ratio to a total of the penetration enhancers, and solvents and emulsifiers of at least about 0.90.

- 62. (new) The composition of claim 61 wherein the corticosteroid comprises a fluorinated corticosteroid.
- 63. (new) The composition of claim 61 wherein the corticosteroid comprises fluorinonide.
- 64. (new) The composition of claim 61 wherein the corticosteroid comprises fluorinolone acetonide.
- 65. (new) The composition of claim 61, 62, 63 or 64 wherein the corticosteroid is present at about 0.10%.
- 66. (new) The composition of claim 61, 62, 63 or 64 wherein the corticosteroid is present at least about 0.50%.
- 67. (new) The composition of claim 61, 62, 63 or 64 wherein the corticosteroid is present at least about 0.25%.
- 68. (new) The composition of claim 61, 62, 63 or 64 wherein the penetration enhancers comprise two or more of the group consisting of propylene glycol, disopropyl adipate and dimethyl isosorbide.

- 69. (new) The composition of claim 61, 62, 63 or 64 wherein one penetration enhancer comprises propylene glycol.
  - 70. (new) The composition of claim 61 wherein the ratio is at least about 0.95.
- 71. (new) The composition of claim 61 wherein the solvents and emulsifiers comprise one or more of the group consisting of dehydrated alcohol, alcohol (95% v/v)USP, 3-Cyclohexene-1-Methanol, c4-Dimethyl-a-(4-Methyl-3-Pentenyl)-, Steareth-2, Steareth-21, citric acid, CPE-215, diisopropanolamine (1:9), DIPA/PG (1:9), ethoxydiglycol, Potassium hydroxide (10%), PEG-40 Stearate, PEG-7000, Polysorbate 60, potassium hydroxide (1%), propylene carbonate USP, propylethylene glycol 4, oleyl alcohol, sodium lauryl sulfate, sorbitan monostearate, sorbitan stearate, and 1,2,3-Propanetriyl Ester.
- 72. (new) The composition of claim 61 further comprising one or more non-solvent/emulsifier ingredients.
- 73. (new) The composition of claim 72 wherein the non-solvent/emulsifier ingredients comprise one or more of the group consisting of Glyceryl Stearate (and) PEG-100 Stearate, carbopol 980, cyclomethicone NF, glyceryl monostearate, hydroxyethyl cellulose, hydroxypropyl cellulose, isopropyl myristate, methyl paraben NF, mineral oil, oleic acid NF, PEG-100 Stearate, petrolatum, propyl paraben NF, purified water, stearyl alcohol, white petrolatum, and white wax.
- 74. (new) The composition of claim 61 wherein the solvents and emulsifiers are present at about 4- about 5%.
- 75. (new) The composition of claim 72 wherein the non-solvent/emulsifier ingredients are present at about 11% to about 53%.
- 76. (new) The composition of claim 72 wherein the non-solvent/emulsifier ingredients are present at about 11% to about 27%.